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INTRUSION SAFEGUARD FUNCTION**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for:

() one month () three months
(X) two months () four months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for a two-month extension of time is \$450.

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() Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.

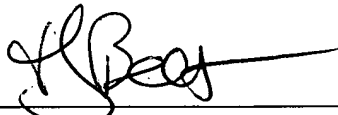
A verified small entity statement:

() has been filed () is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

- () Declaration, Request to Correct Inventorship, Consent, disclaimer
- (X) Response/ Amendment () Notice of Appeal () Appeal Brief
- () Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
- () Sub Power of Attorney/Change of Correspondence Address

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